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Topics For Candidates

Public Speaking Contest For 'UN Youth Pilgrimage'

For the fifth time, the Youth Committee of the Sovereign Grand Lodge and the Association of Rebekah Assemblies, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will sponsor a "United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth" next summer, and this year Samaritan Lodge of the IOOF Vulcan, will sponsor a delegate from this zone.

In 1953, 470 young people and their adult leaders from the United States, Canada and Hawaii participated and this year the goal is an even larger representation.

The delegate for this zone will be chosen through a public speaking competition, with entries limited to boys and girls 15, 16 or 17 years of age, students of Grade 10 or Grade 11. The chosen delegate will spend six days in New York, in July, as one of a group of young people, with an adult leader to every group. All expenses are paid by the sponsoring body.

For a six-day period, the young people making the "Pilgrimage" are offered a wealth of opportunity for the study and observation of the United Nations in action and for seeing the metropolis of New York.

In the impressive UN Secretariat building with its 38 storeys of glass and steel, and the fascinating new General Assembly building, the young people will receive briefings by various members of the United Nations staff. They will learn of the functioning and organization of the UN and its many branches and how many areas of the world are served by technical assistance and departments such as the World Health Organization. They will watch representatives of various nations as they meet and will learn how their home communities are related to the affairs of the world by briefings at the Delegation of their own country, where the ambassador or secretary explains the part their nation plays in the UN.

The young delegates will visit the Statue of Liberty, enjoy a three-hour boat trip around Manhattan Island, see places of historic interest and witness the precision-famous Rockettes and other feature performances at Radio City Music Hall.

In choosing a delegate for this zone, the following subjects may be used in the public speaking competition, with a candidate speaking for not more than ten minutes on any one of these subjects:

1. Communism, a Major Threat to World Peace.
2. Atomic Energy, for Peace or War?
3. Value of the Crown in the Commonwealth.
4. Accomplishments of United Nations since its Organization.
5. The Four Freedoms (Freedom of Speech, Freedom of Worship, Freedom from Want, Freedom from Fear).
6. Democracy and its Responsibilities.

Further information and application forms may be secured from Samaritan Lodge, IOOF, Vulcan.

EDMONTON REPORT

By Donald F. Smith
Special Correspondent

EDMONTON: Alberta in 1953, witnessed the beginning of several major projects, governmental and industrial; many will be completed or reach their ultimate growth in future years.

The general level of business and individual prosperity throughout the province equalled that of the past few years, according to reports, but there also was the feeling that the "boom" was levelling off.

Alberta's farmers provided one of the years news highlights by harvesting the second largest grain crop in the province's history, the year after the largest. The 163 million bushels taken from the land proved to be a storage and marketing problem but earlier fears of dire consequences were fading toward the end of the year.

While farm organization's still are pressing for government action in moving the surplus grain or compensating the farmer for non-movement, they also are advising the farmer to view his surpluses as a chance to stock up on supplies of seed and feed.

Most farmers, while doing a little traditional grumbling, were able to view their bumper crops at least as "money in the bank."

The first session of the 12th legislature, was unmarked by the spectacular, lasting about six weeks during which the government passed its proposed program with little or no trouble. Among total estimated expenditures of $174 million the budget called for $36 million for highways and $25 million for the establishment of a new revolving fund from which municipalities could borrow.

The session saw adoption of a new Liquor Act with but a few minor changes from the old one. They took effect last summer and included the compulsory serving of sandwiches with beer and an additional hour drinking in the evening. Controversy centred around the fact that the government's special committee's report on a survey of liquor problems was not made public; that there was no mention of mixed drinking in Edmonton and Calgary or the hoped for (by some) cocktail lounges.

Full scale debate on natural gas export brought forth the statement of policy that the government believes export would be the incentive to continued development of the province's gas and oil reserves. Although the Alberta Petroleum and Natural Gas Conservation Board announced in December, after several months of public inquiry, that the province has enough gas for export, there are still hurdles to be surmounted by those seeking export. First, the board wants assurance that the two companies can make satisfactory arrangements for marketing the gas in the east. Second, the government wants the two applicant companies to unite their proposals and suggests that they build one pipe line through Winnipeg to Ontario and Quebec with a branch to Minneapolis.

The year ended with the federal government, which supports the provincial government's proposals, planning to meet with the two companies to promote the union.

The year was not without tragedy. Poliomyelitis struck its hardest blow in Alberta's history, victimizing about 14 hundred persons, killing more than one hundred of them and crippling many others.

Starting with an outbreak in the Yukon in June, the disease moved down into Alberta in midsummer. From a provincial total of 49 cases July 23 the toll increased suddenly to one hundred and eight by August 6 and two weeks later was more than double that.

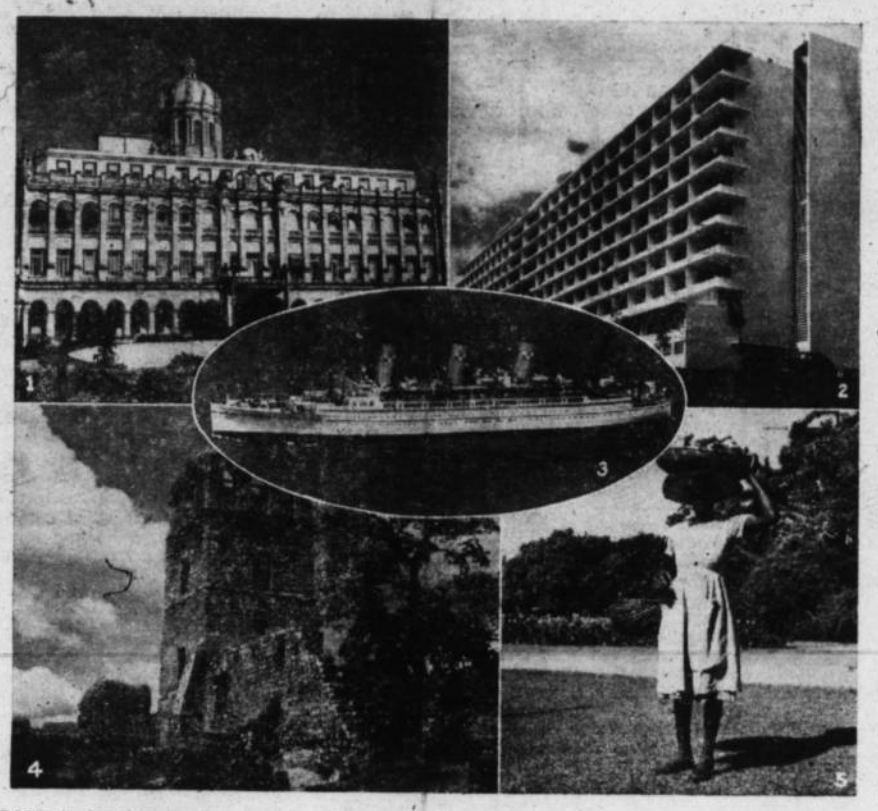
In mid August a province-wide ban barred children from theatres and swimming pools and later schools remained closed for the first two weeks in September and Sunday schools turned away children under seventeen. Near the end of November when the province's case total had rises to 12 hundred and deaths to 86, the government put through an order-in-council providing considerable financial aid for hospitalized polio patients. As the year ended plans were being made to make a special investigation of the why's and wherefore's of the epidemic.

The year also saw the start of a long awaited program of testing drivers. It started last July in Calgary and Edmonton, was extended to Red Deer, Lethbridge, Medicine Hat and Drumheller in November and further widening of the program is promised for the near future.

Extension of the provincial-municipal hospitalization scheme took place at the last legislative session. It provided for the two levels of government to share in the cost of providing hospital "extras." It widened the province's scheme, which formerly saw the government and municipalities share the cost of standard ward care. Some observers are predicting that the next step will see provision for paying doctor bills.

Death took two of the Alberta cabinet's 11 members. They were Hon. Dr. J. L. Robinson, MLA for Medicine Hat and minister of industries and labor, and Hon. David A. Ure, minister of agriculture, who was killed two days before Christmas in a highway accident. Norman A. Willmore MLA for Edson, was appointed to the industries and labor post. In a by-election at Medicine Hat in December, Mrs. Robinson easily captured the seat left vacant by her husband.

Officials see no slackening in the development of Alberta's resolrces and industrial growth, while the weather and market conditions hold the key to the agriculture prospects, 1954 version.



TROPICAL BLEND: A mid-winter glimpse of the new and the old, the mystic charm of the Caribbean Isles, their customs, their buildings and their people, is in store for many Canadians who will be making one of the three cruises aboard the Empress of Scotland, flagship of the Canadian Pacific fleet, from New York to sunny South America and the storied Spanish Main this winter. Two 17-day cruises will leave New York on Jan. 29 and March 9, while an 18-day cruise will leave there Feb. 17. Among the ports of call on the cruises are St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands; La Guaira, Venezuela, Trinidad, Curacao, Panama, Jamaica and Havana, Cuba. Pictured above are some of the sights to be seen en route: (1) The ornate President's Palace at Havana; (2 a strikingly modern hotel at Panama; (3) the 26,300-ton Empress of Scotland, a floating hotel on the cruise run, complete with two swimming pools; (4) the ruins of old Panama. not far from the Canal; and (5) a typical West Indian native carrying succulent tropical fruits to market.

Berrywater District News

Mr. and Mrs. Hirst Goldthorpe of Lomond renewed acquaintances in the distrirt on Boxing Day, calling on a number of former neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Haurkoff and family and Mary Shkuratoff spent the holidays at Oliver, B. C.

Mrs. Wilson Oldfield accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Archie Oldfield to Calgary on Monday.

Arthur Evans of Rocky Mountain House spent several days last week with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Smith and family of Vulcan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Sinclair, at a dinner given in honor of Ross's birthday.

Holiday guests at the Stan Wickstrom home included Chester Wickstrom of Calgary, for Christmas and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wickstrom of Camrose, who spent the week including New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Smith and Russel accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Stan Wickstrom and Cheryl were visitors to Calgary the first of the week.

Word has been received in the district that Mrs. Johnny Thompson of Turner Valley, the former Miss Mickey Noble, is confined to the Isolation hospital in Calgary, under observation for polio. A speedy recovery is wished for her by her many friends here.

The sympathy of the district is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Nick Haurkoff on the loss of their infant son, David, who died Dec. 30 at their home at Oliver, B.C. David was a victim of polio and was returned to Shoaldice for funeral services and interment. Mrs. Haurkoff is the former Polly Shkuratoff.

Ralph Richardson, Carson Love and Jerry Steiner have recently left for Edmonton where they will take a six-week course in welding mechanics. Stuart Douglass also motored to Edmonton to take the same course and was accompanied by Miss Donna Ditto, who will visit in the capital city for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. Everett McIntyre and Dougie, Mr. and Mrs. Willis McIntyre and children and Mrs. Susan Woodhouse and daughter, Mary of Calgary were New Year's guests at the C. Webber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. George Corner and P. J. Haslam were New Years Eve guests at the W. Sharp home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Sim entertained Mr. and Mrs. Willis McIntyre and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Webber and children and Mr. Haslam at a Christmas Eve party, when there were treats and presents for the youngsters.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sheepy of Calgary on the birth of a son, Terrance Gordon, on Dec. 29. Mrs. Sheepy is the former Miss Nora Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Richardson and Ralph motored to Calgary Sunday to visit the new arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Douglass accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. V. Haga and children motored to Edmonton to spend Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Phelan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Oldfield and daughter, Anne motored to High River Dec 30 to attend the Bertola-Jaunce wedding, which took place in the United Church at an evening service. Anne was one of the bridesmaids.

On Sunday Miss Anne Oldfield returned to Calgary to resume her studies at the University branch there, after spending the holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter of Vulcan and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wyatt were Sunday guests at the T. Webber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Richardson spent New Year's weekend with the latter's mother, Mrs. H. C. Robinson at Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones of Reid Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Reg Walker and children of Vulcan were dinner guests at the L. V. Jones home on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Jones spent New Years at the W. H. Jones home.

Lee Richardson visited at Lethbridge Tuesday and was accompanied as far as Champion by Mrs. Richardson, who spent the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Doyle.

Jack Smith is a business visitor to Calgary this week.

Twenty-one members of the Jack Smith family sat down to Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Smith in Vulcan. Guests from out of town included Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. B. D. Huntley, Mr. and Mrs. Ian Smith and Karen, Dave Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Heisler and children all of Calgary. Mrs. Huntley and Dave remained for the week as guests at the Jack Smith home.

Back in 1941 Canadians spent an average of $292.03 in retail stores. Ten years later the figure was $760.48.

Only about one-seventh of Canada's land is suitable for agriculture.

Start New Class In First Aid

Classes in First Aid will be held at the Vulcan Stucco school starting Friday, Jan. 13 at 8 p.m.

These classes are being sponsored by the County of Vulcan Civil Defence Committee, with Lundy Findlay as instructor.

The attendance of firemen, school van drivers and those who have taken home nursing and other first aid classes is particularly requested.

December Births At Vulcan Hospital

Seven births were recorded at the Vulcan Municipal hospital during the month of December as follows:

Dec. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Somerville, Vulcan, a daughter.

Dec. 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thompson, Lomond, a daughter.

Dec. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Melfort Klatt, Milo, a daughter.

Dec. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Dave Schlerman, Vulcan, a daughter.

Dec. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Aloyes Lencucha, Champion, a daughter.

Dec. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lomond, a son.

Dec. 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Anderson, Milo, a son.

THE WEATHER

Mild weather, with very little snow, has been general in this area. The weather turned colder on Wednesday and it was forecast that below-zero temperatures could be expected. Colder weather would be welcomed by curlers and skaters, who have been impatiently waiting for ice.

Sponsor Giant Bingo Jan. 22

Local Legion Branch To Aid Poliomyelitis Fund

The Vulcan Branch of the Canadian Legion, with the co-operation of the Vulcan Lions Club, will sponsor a "Giant Bingo" night at the Vulcan Armouries, Friday, Jan 22, as part of their program to aid the "Fight Polio" drive of the Alberta Chapter of the Canadian Foundation for Poliomyelitis, which is sponsored on a national scale by the Canadian Legion.

Although the provincial government now provides hospitalization for polio patients during the period of isolation as well as treatment and hospitaliration after the acute stage is over, there are many expenses to polio patients and their families that are not covered by provincial legislation.

No respecter of persons polio often strikes fathers and mothers resulting in either a loss of income for the family or the added expense of hiring help to care for the children. There is no provision made, other than ordinary relief, for families thus burdened. Some of the funds collected by the Alberta chapter will be channeled to this need.

Another need which will receive assistance from the Canadian Legion drive is provision for accommodation and care when patients are brought to one of the recognized hospitals for clinical treatment. At the present time the lack of provisions for accommodation results in many patients in outlying portions of the province not being able to take the necessary treatments.

Any polio patient who does not receive treatment in one of the "recognized" hospitals—all located in urban areas—are forced to pay all expenses incurred without aid from the government. To alleviate this need, the funds from the forth coming campaign will be used.

Other uses for the Alberta chapter funds will be transporting polio patients to recognized hospitals, buying braces, wheelchairs and other supplemental equipment needed for victims.

Ten percent of the money collected in Alberta will be forwarded to Connaught Laboratories for the production of gamma globulin in the hopes that every man, woman and child needing the anti-polio serum may receive it.

Not more than five per cent of funds collected will be used for promotion purposes.

The costs of advertising and promotion of the bingo night on Jan. 22 will be borne by the Vulcan Branch of the Legion and the use of the Armouries has been donated for the affair. Local merchants have been generous in supplying the prizes at cost price.

Residents of the town or district wishing to make a direct contribution to this fund, may do so by mailing a cheque or money order to the Secretary, Vulcan Branch No. 21, Canadian Legion. An official receipt for income tax purposes will be issued for amounts of $1.00 or more.

SERVICE BOARD NOTES

H. S. Burns, Field Supervisor

At this time we would like to remind any farmers and stockmen who have not notified us of their wish to have heifer calves vaccinated for Bovine Brucellosis, Fang's disease, if they will kindly do so as soon as possible, and in the case of those who have already sent in their listings but for various reasons have not been visited by the Veterinarian up to the present time, we can assure you that these will be taken care of just as soon as possible.

We now have for distribution the strychnine pellets for the control of Coyotes, and anyone wishing to use this material or the Cyanide guns, can procure same by calling at this office. In the case of the Cyanide guns there is a deposit to be paid at the time of taking out the guns, which is returned at the time the guns are brought back, but when the other material is used there is no charge but a release is to be signed in both cases.

Two thirds of Canada's national income is derived from the domestic market, proving that Canadians are the best market for Canadian products.

Mrs Mabel McIntyre Heads Rebekahs

D.D.P. Eva Bowie of Cloverleaf Rebekah Lodge, and her installing team consisting of Sisters: Viola Mensinger as Deputy Marshall; Mabel Rea, Warden; Laverne Myers, Recording Secretary; Mavis Roebuck, Financial Secretary; Gladys Fulton, Treasurer; Ruth Orchard, Chaplain; and Margaret Hanna, Inside Guardian, installed the following officers Monday evening: P.N.G., Sister Lillian Deal; N.G., Sister Mabel McIntyre; V.G., Sister Jean Scobie; Recording Secretary, Sister Kay Brooks; Fin. Sec'y., Sister Elizabeth McMillan; Treas., Sister Leta Whiteside; Chaplain, Sister Beulah Bell; R.S. N.G., Sister Mavis Roebuck; L.S. N.G., Sister Gladys Fulton; Warden, Sister Corlis Ulmer; Conductress, Sister Beryl Bowie; R.S.V.G. Sister Alberta Deal; L.S.V.G., Sister Lilian Lancaster; I.G., Sister Mabel Wright; O.G., Sister Margaret Hanna; Pianist, Sister Uretta McIver.

Mrs. Bowie presented each of installing team and P.N.G., Mrs. Deal with corsages.

Busy Month In Police Court

Eleven town police cases were heard before the Police Magistrate resulting in fines of $50.00 and costs being imposed on three Vulcan residents for being in possession of stolen property and one year's suspended sentence being given for contributing to Juvenile Delinquency.

Three Vulcan residents, who participated in a disturbance at the local hotel, were convicted of being intoxicated in a public place, with fines of $20.00 and costs being imposed. Another Vulcan resident was fined $10.00 and costs for having an open bottle of liquor in the bar room of the local hotel.

Failure to bring a building up to specifications as required by By-law 257 of the Town of Vulcan, resulted in a fine of $20.00 and costs.

The passing of a No-Account cheque resulted in the return of a former Vulcan resident from Okotoks and a fine of $25.00 and costs imposed.

Seven R.C.M.P. cases were heard during the month resulting in a Vulcan resident being fined $50.00 and costs for being in possession of stolen property while other residents of Champion and Vulcan received fines for speeding, operating unregistered vehicles, operating without driver's licenses, failing to stop at main highways and being illegally in possession of liquor.

Two Highway Traffic Board cases resulted in a Milo resident being fined $15.00 and costs for operating his automobile with purple fuel while another Vulcan resident was fined $5.00 and costs for not having a tail light.

Two Game Branch cases were heard with fines of $10.00 and costs and guns confiscated to Her Majesty the Queen being imposed against two Vulcan residents who were hunting game birds without having their guns properly plugged in accordance with the Game Act.

Eleven Small Debt cases were also heard.

Junior Bonspiel At Lethbridge

Ken Hamilton's Brant aggregation and Ronnie Northcott's Vulcan curlers were the only rinks from this area to get into the jewelry at the recent junior bonspiel held in Lethbridge, Hamilton taking second place and Northcott fourth in the Haig Clinic event.

Barry Coleman of Lethbridge, who before moving to Lethbridge skipped a Vulcan rink to the Alberta championship and Dominion finals where they finished fourth last year, was undefeated going into the finals, of both primary events, but lost both his final games.

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District News

EASTWAY

There is to be a sale at the Ole Rushfeldt farm on January 14th at 11 a.m. Eastway ladies club are serving lunch.

The date of the next Ladies' meeting has been changed to Tuesday, Jan. 12, to be held at Ruby Wyatt's.

People of the district spending Christmas in Calgary included Mrs. Baldwin and Ed, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marshall and family, Mr. and Mrs Jim Murphy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Laughlin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hellevang and Oscar and Mr. and Mrs. Gooch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Asplund of Barons spent the Christmas weekend at the Bob Hill home, the latter returning the visit for New Years day.

Mrs. A. Fisher and Ian of Calgary enjoyed Christmas in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McInenly were recent visitors at the Martin McInenly's.

Little Brian Burgess is home again after spending a few days in the local hospital with croup.

Alberta Burgess spent a few days visiting at Bowden and reports finding her mother well after recovering from a long illness.

Mrs. Hilda Kane and girls were visiting the Johnson home over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hellevang of Carseland entertained a number of people from this district at a supper last week. Later enjoying the annual Xmas dance at Carseland hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beckner and family also Larry Fleming spent Xmas at the Bill Fleming home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Haga and family visited with Victor Rushfeldt last weekend.

The Bill Fleming family spent New Years day at Owen Fleming's at Okotoks.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Twiss and Billy, Naome and Marg McMullen of Oregon spent the Christmas holidays with their folks.

Friends of Mrs. Martha Eresman are sorry to hear she has been a patient in the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Oldfield were Calgary visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Burgess spent Christmas with the latter's folks at Longview.

RED CROSS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parslow and family spent Christmas at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lyon's in Lethbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Love at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Steiner in Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Woodman and family at the W. W. Clarkson home in Vulcan, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wheatley and family, Melbourne Dunham, all of Calgary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Howlett of Calgary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Love, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Jacobson and Clara at Taber and Grassy Lake, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ohler and son Ivan at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cutforth, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nafziger and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Nafziger at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dye at Olds, Mr. and Mrs. George Todd at the home of A. W. Sheffield in Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. John Locen and family of Stettler, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stein, Mrs. Schenk and Bill Crossfield at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivo Love, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ruark and family at the home of Mrs. Smith at Rolling Hills, Mr. and Mrs. John Shierman and family at the home of Mr and Mrs. Shierman Sr. in Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Roland and family at Shouldice, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colson and family of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Starky and family of Okotoks, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rushfeldt, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Rushfeldt and Mrs and Mrs. Ronald Rushfeldt all at the Emmanuel Rushfeldt home and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White and son Larry and George Gledhill all of Calgary at the home of Miller White.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Fulton, Mrs. Wesley Fulton and son Jackie were High River visitors on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cutforth of Barons were visitors at the A. Cutforth home on Saturday.

Mrs. J. Parslow and Lynetta spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parslow.

Ed and Stanley Kehr, Delbert and Weldon Graham were curlers at Mossleigh on Sunday.

Dinner guests Sunday, Dec. 27 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Jacobson were Mr. and Mrs. John Ell, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy gll and daughter Patty all of Grassy Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kimmeth and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Ell and son Brian of Medicine Hat.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kehr were visitors Sept. 27 at an open house at E. H. Hanson of High River.

Guests last Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rushfeldt were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Turner and Mr. Thompson all of Cochrane Gwen Turner and John Metherwell were weekend guests there.

On Sunday, Dec. 27 dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo Fulton were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kidner and Patty of Lethbridge, Mrs. Patterson of Creston, B. C., Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hanson, Dennis and Donna of Key, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bruce and Dale of Ma-Me-O-Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson, Leonard and Glen Hanson, Mrs. Alma Synge, Mr. and Mrs. Don Pearce, Mr and Mrs. Buster Burns all of Calgary and Miss Margaret Hanson of Vulcan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Metheral and Jimmy were at the home of Bert's father in Calgary on Xmas day. They were also at Crossfield over the Xmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burrell were Lethbridge visitors on Tuesday.

Ivan Stager has returned home from a vacation spent at Creston, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Giles, Mr. Neil Giles, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. George Todd, Mr. and Mrs George Fulton and Lynell attended Ross Giles wedding at Granum. Reception was at the Marquis Hotel in Lethbridge.

Mrs. Mary Rousch, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dippel, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rousch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ruban Rousch all of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Spady of Carstairs, Mr. and Mrs. John Dippel of Crossfield and Mrs. Albert Shierman of Vulcan were Sunday dinner guests on Dec. 27 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Shierman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schierman were visitors at Carstairs, Crossfield and Acme.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ruark were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Knive and family.

Wesley Fulton was relieved from the General Hospital for a few hours on Xmas day to spend Xmas with his wife and son Jackie, his parents and brother Owen.

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640 acres near Lake McGregor. $20,000. $12,000 cash.
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Phone 228 or Res. 61, Vulcan
21-tfc

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1939 MERCURY SEDAN for sale. Motor and tires in good condition. Phone 358, Mrs. Margaret Chambers, Vulcan. 21-tfc

TRADE — W9 IHC Tractor and 102 [redacted] Tractor. Will trade for wheat, cattle or what have you. Jim Murphy, Milo. 21-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Light plant and equipment. 1500 watt windcharger and tower, Delco plant, 21-plate batteries (4 yrs. old), ¼ h.p. motor, radio, toaster, iron, quantity of bulbs, all in good condition. Will trade for wheat, oats, barley, feed, etc. Would accept cash if necessary. Dick May, 5 miles east of Connemara on Vulcan road. Phone R817, Nanton. 21-3p

HEREFORD CATTLE For Sale—Five Bulls, 8 months, 2 years; five heifers, coming yearling, with Bangs Free certificates. Apply F. M. Wyatt, Phone 2202, Vulcan. 21-3p

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LOST

LOST — Gold Bar Pin with RCAF crest. Good Reward. Please return to Advocate office. 20-2c

LOST — International Tire and Rim, 9x20, on highway between Lethbridge and Champion or Parkland and Champion. Reward. Please phone 13, Champion. 21-3c

LOST — A Masonic apron in black leather case. Finder please return to W. J. Montgomery, Ph. 908, Vulcan. Reward. 21-2c

WANTED

WANTED — Lady would like position as household assistant, Phone R1313 or write P.O. Box 125, Vulcan. 21-3c

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NOTICES

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FIRE AND LIGHTING insurance on grain stored on farms. Rates are very low. See J. Lundy Findlay, Complete Insurance Servile. 13-tfc

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER of the Estate of VIRTUE MAY STOKES, late of the Hamlet of Armada in the Province of Alberta, Housewife, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims on the Estate of VIRTUE MAY STOKES, who died on the 23rd day of October, A.D. 1953, are required to file with the undersigned Solicitor for the Executor of her Estate by the 24th day of February, A.D. 1954, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them and that after that date the Executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled there to, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed or brought to his attention.

DATED at Vulcan in the Province of Alberta, this 28th day of December, A.D. 1953.

J. M. JAMISON
Solicitor for the Executor
21-3

THANK YOU

Words cannot express our gratitude for your recent kindness, so we say "a humble thank you" to the many friends and neighbors, especially to Mrs. Frieda McRoberts, Mr. Bruce Roe, Mr. Everett McPherson and Mr. William McIntyre.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Krause and family.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my sincere thanks to the Legion, Lions, Elks, Rebekahs, Ladies Auxiliary, Royal Purple, Massey-Harris Staff and to my many friends and relatives who were so very generous to us during the holiday season.

—Margaret Chambers and children

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express for Sandra and ourselves our most grateful and heartfelt thanks to our friends of the Carmangay district for their generous gifts and lovely cards, which will ever be treasured by us.

—Don and Marian Moore,
Creston, B. C.

IN MEMORIAM

FERGUSON: In loving memory of Roy A. Ferguson, who passed away Jan. 16, 1935.

—Ever remembered by his wife and son.

IN MEMORIAM

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Arrowwood

Miss Joyce Curtis is spending her Christmas holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Curtis.

Miss Marvina Beagle has completed her course at Red Deer and is now at her home again.

Miss Annette Sirocky and Danelle Williams who are attending school at Cluny, are spending their Xmas holidays at their home here.

Mrs. T. Oldford and family of Red Deer were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cameron and family spent a few days visiting at Wainwright recently.

Mrs. K. McRae of Calgary spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Mandeville and son of Rainier, Mr. and Mrs. D. Richards and Mrs. L. Irwin and boys of Calgary were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Thompson spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Oldford of Red Deer.

Cletus Duncan and Miss Mary Duncan returned from Wenatchee, Wash. after spending a few weeks visiting friends and relatives there.

Mrs. H. Ellis of Condor is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. McInenly.

Miss Ruby Rochan of Calgary spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Williams and family spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Fizer of Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McInenly and family spent a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. H. Ellis of Condor.

Mr. and Mrs. M. McInenly and family spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Skappack of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Duncan of Calgary were visitors recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Oldfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McInenly of Rimbey spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. McInenly.

Donny Jacques was renewing acquaintances in this district on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Christie and family and Mr. and Mrs. G. Strong all of Calgary spent the weekend visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Ekeland.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Beagle and family of Blackie were Christmas day visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Beagle.

Arrowwood did very well in the recent Handicraft display at the annual FUA Convention held in Edmonton. Prizes awarded in this district were:
1st, Piece Work Quilt, Mrs. M. Norton; 1st Hooked Rug, Mrs. B. Brooks; 1st Shell Picture, Muriel DeWitt; 2nd, Smocked Dress, Mrs. J. Barry; 2nd, Baby's Knitted Sweater, Marj. Steiner; 3rd, Framed Petit Point Picture, Marj Steiner. Conveners for this were Mrs. Oldfield, Mrs. Steiner and Miss Cawley. The Auction Sale was held on Thursday evening, each local contributing and the proceeds used to help defray expenses. This local donated a felt bag, the work on this being donated by Mrs. R. F. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. House attended the UFA convention as delegates from this local.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Steiner attended the recent FUA convention held in Edmonton recently.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Oberholtzer on the birth of a daughter Jan. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Foss of Calgary were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Helm.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. Deeter on the birth of a son, January 4, in Calgary.

LOMOND

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Boe, newly weds of the Lomond-Armada district, entertained a number of their relatives and friends on Christmas Day at a traditional turkey dinner. A toast to the newly-weds was given by H. Manning and gifts from under the Christmas tree were distributed by Harvey Boe and Bud Tyler. All present joined in wishing the young couple a happy and prosperous married life.

RED CROSS

Those who spent New Years were Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Rushfeldt, Donna and Deanna, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rushfeldt, and son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wally Starky at Okotoks, Mr. and Mrs. John Schierman at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Dippel of Calgary Mr. and Mrs. Bud Crick and family, Mr. and Mrs Bert Metheral and Jimmy and Elmer Jones at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ruark, Mr. and Mrs. George Fulton and Lynell at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kidner of Lethbridge and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kehr at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gateman of Mossleigh.

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NOTICE

Anyone interested in attending the Annual Meeting of the Lethbridge Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday, Jan. 20, at 6 p.m. is asked to contact Grant Walker, secretary of the Vulcan District Board of Trade, by Wednesday, Jan. 13. Speaker at the meeting will be N. R. Crump, vice-president of the C.P.R.

Village of Arrowwood
Hospitalization Contracts

Resident non-ratepayers of the Village of Arrowwood are advised that the Board has authorized the sale of HOSPITALIZATION CONTRACTS (tickets) at $8.00. Contracts purchased now become effective on January 1, 1954.

Contracts expire on December 31st of the year of purchase.

Contract holders are entitled to receive hospitalization for themselves and DEPENDENT FAMILIES UNDER 21 YEARS at $1.00 per day for general ward service.

Interested persons are urged to purchase contracts before February 1, 1954.

THESE REGULATIONS WILL BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO.

This contract policy conforms to the general policy adopted by Municipal Hospitals throughout the Province.

Contracts may be purchased at the Village office.

Village of Arrowwood
NOTICE

The Council of the Village of Arrowwood, who have made agreement with the Vulcan Municipal Hospital for hospital services, have decided to allow hospital benefits to ratepayers and contract holders who are admitted either as medically referred or emergency cases to other Alberta approved hospitals.

1. (a) The following amounts will be paid by the Council towards the patient's hospitalization when the patient has been admitted to another hospital as a medically referred admission.
   $5.30 per day for persons 16 years of age and over
   $4.30 per day for persons under 16 years of age.

   (b) A medically referred admission is one who has been referred to another hospital by his local doctor.

   (c) In this case a certificate must first be obtained from the local doctor referring the patient and the certificate presented to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Village of Arrowwood.

2. (a) The following amounts will be paid by the Council towards the patient's hospitalization when the patient has been admitted to another hospital as an emergency case.
   $5.30 per day for persons 16 years of age and over.
   $4.30 per day for persons under 16 years of age — or
   $5.00 per day for persons 12 years of age and over, and
   $4.00 per day for persons under 16 years of age—if the emergency admission is at a Grade E hospital.

   (b) An emergency admission is one where admission to hospital is of urgent necessity and one in which the patient is unable to return to the Vulcan Municipal Hospital.

   (c) In this case a certificate must be obtained by the patient from the attending physician to the effect that admission to hospital was of an emergent nature.

   (d) This certificate, along with the hospital account should be presented to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Village of Arrowwood.

   (e) The emergency case will only be refunded directly when the hospital account has been paid in full; otherwise the payment by the Village will be made to the hospital.

3. The Council reserves the right to retain the doctor's certificates of referred and emergency cases.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Secretary-Treas.

J. M. WALLACE, Sec.-Treas.

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District News

QUEENSTOWN

Queenstown was fairly quiet on Xmas day as the majority of the residents spent the holiday at Calgary, Macleod, Lathom, Gleichen and Cluny and on the country farms.

It would no doubt be surprising to know exactly how many Xmas cards were dispatched and received even in this small centre and probably created a big headache for mail carriers and Post office workers, but we do enjoy these gay folders from near and far.

Martin Lahd has returned from a visit with relatives in Minneapolis.

The community hall's appearance has been enhanced by the addition of new seats which add greatly to the comfort of the public. They were purchased in most part, by a donation from the Badminton Club. A further donation of $61 realized from a doll raffle sponsored by the W.I. helped greatly to swell the hall fund, and the committee would like to tender their thanks for this financial help.

Austin Brown, Miss Susan Brown, Mrs. Hodgkin and Mr. and Mrs. Fairbanks spent Xmas at the J. Lahd home.

Work has commenced on the new U.G.G. elevator annex.

Mrs. Doris Gooch and Terry from Calgary spent a few days in Queenstown recently.

Would like to make a correction of item in last week's news column regarding the new time of the Women's Institute meetings, which should have read the first Wednesday of each month.

The school concert at Milo on Dec. 22 was well attended and the spacious auditorium was filled to capacity.

The Xmas service in the United Church and program by the Sunday School children was greatly enjoyed by all who attended and the teachers are to be commended for their work in trying to keep an active interest in year-round Sunday School classes.

1953 is in the past and another New Year is with us. Some of we older ones sigh at its passing and would probably like to turn back the years. But there are always pleasant little happenings in our little localities to look forward to, and beautiful spring will soon be with us again.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown attended a family reunion and birth day of Mrs. Brown Sr. of Calgary on New Years Day.

Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Armitage and small daughter Debbie of Devon were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. McLean.

A number of the local single swain enjoyed the bachelor dinner and social evening at the George Nelson home recently.

Miss Lorna Nelson spent the holiday season at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Nelson.

The Badminton Club has reorganized for the winter games in the Community Hall.

MOSSLEIGH

The Community Club held their December meeting in the hall which included a whist drive. Winners in cards were Mrs. Gateman and Mr. Fredrickson high scores, and Mrs. Grainger and Mr. Gallanders low scores.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Beacome Jr. are being congratulated on the birth of a son, born Dec. 14.

On Dec. 20 the Farrow choir, which includes a number of ladies from Mossleigh, presented a "Cantata' in the church which was greatly enjoyed by all.

Grade 1 to 9 put on their Christmas program in the hall on Dec. 22. Congratulations to all for a fine entertainment.

Curling started Dec. 28 with a double knock-out, some of the players have been playing since Dec. 21

Your correspondent is sorry that this news is late, but with the Christmas season coming on, she was very busy.

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Blind Creek - Mossleigh W. A.

The December meeting of the Blind Creek-Mossleigh W.A. was held on the 10th in the church because Mrs. Pinkerton was ill with the flu. A good crowd was in attendance and Mrs. Robinson read the devotional. Mrs. Fredrickson played a violin selection accompanied by Mrs. M. Hurl to conclude the devotional service. It was decided to send a donation of $10.00 to the Woods' Christian Home.

W. A. members who have been active for 30 years or more are to be considered honorary members and are not expected to work in the future. We will continue with the Mystery Sisters.

Those serving lunch at the meetings will be asked alphabetically as before.

The committee that was to sound out members for the new executive report the following for 1954.

President, Mrs. Sonny Scott; 1st Vice-president, Mrs. Grainger; 2nd Vice-president, Mrs. Jolly; Secretary, Mrs. Sonny Scott; Treasurer, Mrs. R. Leslie; Press reporter, Mrs. Gillanders; Sunshine convener, Mrs. J. Christie and Mrs. Barr, Mrs. Geo. Christie and Mrs. Elliott, additional members to the executive. Each month two members will act as a visiting committee. After the business meeting, the gifts from the Mystery Sisters were given out followed by a delicious lunch served by Mrs. G. Scott Mrs. S. Scott, Mrs. Eaton and Mrs. Hohn.

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Mossleigh 4-H Club

The Mossleigh 4-H Club held its regular meeting in the form of a Christmas party at the home of Florence and Jeanette Grainger on Dec. 16 with their mothers as guests.

Roll call was answered with tips on table manners, after a short business meeting a demonstration was given by Mavis Scott and Doreen Christie on "A main dish salad." A lovely chicken salad was made which was enjoyed later for lunch.

The social of the evening was in charge of Joan Leslie, games and contests were enjoyed by everyone Christmas gifts were exchanged by the girls and the evening came to a close with a lovely buffet lunch.

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6. Double Deck Ash Tray ..... Standard
7. Wm. Rogers 26-piece Set of Silver ..... Blackout
8. Stainless Steel Carving Set ..... Standard
9. Pair of Boxed Mirror Pictures ..... Standard
10. Oster Mixette ..... Standard
11. G.E. Mantel Radio X
12. 4-piece Silver Tea Service ..... Standard
13. G.E. Electric Kettle ..... Standard
14. Chrome Adjustable Ironing Board ..... Standard
15. Frigidaire Clothes Dryer ..... Blackout

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7:30 p.m.
J. R. CHAPMAN
'Why Is It Wrong'

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Come and Bring Your Friends

BABY CLINICS

The Foothills Health Unit Well-Baby Clinics for the current month will be held as follows (weather and road conditions permitting).

HIGHWOOD AREA

NANTON Community Centre, 1st Tues. in each month—10 a.m. to 12 noon and 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

HIGH RIVER—Banquet Room of Memorial Centre, second Tues day of each month—10 a.m. to 12 noon and 2 p.m. to 4 p m.

BLACKIE—Masonic Hall, 3rd Tuesday of each month—2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

OKOTOKS—Elks Hall, 4th Tuesday each month—2 to 4:00 p.m.

VULCAN AREA

MILO—Municipal Office, 1st Wednesday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

CHAMPION—Community Hall Basement—1st Friday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p m.

VULCAN — United Church S. S. room — 2nd Friday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

ARROWWOOD—U.F.A. Hall, 3rd Friday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

CARMANGAY—Village Office, 4th Friday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

TURNER VALLEY AREA

TURNER VALLEY—United Church Hall, 1st Thursday of each month—1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

BLACK DIAMOND—United Church, 2nd Thursday of each month, 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

ROYALTIES—W.I. Hall—4th Thursday of each month—2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

MILLERVILLE—Sheep Creek School—Third Friday of each month—2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

These well-baby clinics are held for the purpose of weighing and measuring infants and toddlers, and discussing with parents any problems regarding feeding, training, and general care. Inoculations for Diphtheria, Whooping Cough & Tetanus, & Smallpox vaccinations are given after 6 months of age. There is no charge at these clinics, which are a service of the Foothills Health Unit.

District News

ENSIGN

Miss Joan Thorp, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Fisher and daughter of Halkirk and Miss Jean Thorp spent holidays with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Eric Thorp.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Knight spent Xmas at Vermilion.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Markert were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keage and Dot of Calgary during Xmas.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Suiter and Ross and Bob of Calgary spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Zebedee.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith and David and Bobby of Three Hills visited the Smith and Markert families.

Madeline Nolte was home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Penstock are holidaying in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Mooney and children renewed acquaintances here during Xmas week.

Those home for the holiday were David Fisher, Jack and Ruth Williams, Henry Finlayson, Anna and Ruth Brown and Helen Nolte.

Xmas day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kennedy was their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kersey and Gary, June Kennedy, all of Calgary and Russel and Charles Boch of Blackie. Gary remained for the week.

Visitors at the Paten residence were Mr. and Mrs. Rock Morin and Charles Morin from Red Deer and Mrs. Gerard and Annette of Legal, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Dugdale had his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Dugdale of Dalemead visiting for Xmas.

Ken Hamilton, Gordon Prusky, Fred Burley and Gordon Kennedy attended a bonspiel in Lethbridge, bringing home a tie pin as second prize in the fourth event.

Calgary visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Doug Zebedee and family, P. J. O'Dwyer, Mr. and Mrs. Turley and son and Mrs. Mary Ruark.

Xmas visitors at the Larsen home were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown, Mr. and Mrs. G. Flebotte, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Loose and son of Magrath and Pa Larsen. Pa Larsen remained a few days for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Flebotte, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Larsen and family and Mr. and Mrs. B. Brown spent New Years at Okotoks.

Mr. and Mrs. Mote had her father Mr. Gothard from Oregon and her bsother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Gothard and family from Nanton visiting them for Christmas.

Don't forget the Card Party on Friday night, January 8. Everyone is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Herman of Lomond spent New Years day with Mr. and Mrs. R. Markert.

Mrs. Turley and Betty of Calgary spent New Years with the Turleys.

Mr. and Mrs. Mote drove Helen back to Olds.

Your correspondent hopes you all had a good holiday and best wishes for 1954.

LOMOND

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cyr of Vauxhall spent the Xmas holidays in Lomond at the home of Mrs. Cyr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Frost and daughter Marilyn spent part of the Xmas holidays in Calgary visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hoffman have returned home after spending Xmas in Calgary at the home of their daughter.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Alan Clifford on the birth of a son in the Vulcan hospital on Monday, Dec. 21. Weight 9 lfs. 4 ozs. James Burden.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Craig were visitors in Calgary on Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rainey spent Xmas in High River.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knodell and son Barry of Medicine Hat spent the Xmas holiday in Lomond, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs Thomas Teasdale.

Miss Betty Stockton spent Xmas day in Calgary at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Walker were visitors in Calgary and Champion during the Xmas holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hammer and daughter Marjorie were visitors in Vauxhall on Xmas day, guests at the home of Mrs. Hammer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Plaff.

Mrs. Fred Hart and son Walter were recent visitors in Lethbridge.

A. R. Vankleek is spending the winter months visiting relatives and friends in Milwaukee and other points in the States.

Stan Susinski spent Xmas visiting his dad, Carl Susinski, also his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stokes and boys.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams on Christmas day were their children, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Benson of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Williams of Armada. Other guests were some of their grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sealock and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Caufield and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Schlaht and Wayne Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Weich and Bobby of Craigmyle spent a few days in Lomond visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Williams. While here they also visited at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Benson and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. Caufield and family.

ALSTON

Sunday, Dec. 20 marked the 73 birthday celebration of an oldtimer of the district, Mrs. Louie Mueller. Mr. and Mrs. L. Mueller, now living in Vulcan, spent the day at the George Mueller home with all of their family present to wish Mrs. Mueller many happy returns of the day.

The gaily decorated living room of the Gordon Urquhart home was a scene of festivities on the evening of Dec. 21 when the Busy Bees Girls' Club held its Christmas party. Special guests were local girls outside the membership, past supervisors and Mrs. Ted Carlson of Champion who accompanied on the piano the singing of Christmas carols. Following the playing of a few parlor games, gifts were drawn from a Christmas pie. Mrs. Urquhart, on behalf of the club members, presented gifts to past supervisors Mrs. R. Flitton, Mrs. W. Brinton and Mrs. H. Todd and to Miss Janet Ware for her outstanding work in the organization. The evening was closed with the serving of a lovely lunch by the hostess, Mrs. Urquhart.

Mrs. R. Hubbard went to the coast before Christmas to spend the holidays and part of this month with her mother, Mrs. Emma Johanson.

Walter Ewashen was at the Crowsnest Pass during the Christmas holidays.

Miss Marjorie Shields of Didsbury was a guest at the Callaghan home recently.

Miss Grace Williams, a student of the University Hospital at Edmonton spent the Christmas week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams.

Misses Myrtle, Rita and Fay Callaghan all of Calgary spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Callaghan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Flitton and family left this week on a trip to Arizona and other points in the U.S.A.

Miss Norma Jane Warren spent last weekend with relatives in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Ivarson and Carl spent the Christmas holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fusk at Joplin, Montana.

Guests at the Sam Beingessner home over the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. R. Beingessner and family of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. C. Beingessner and family of McNab and Miss Lucille Beingessner of Red Deer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Neilson and Mrs A. J. Neilson all of Taylorville motored to the district to spend New Years with Mrs. Elva Smith and family and Mrs. J. Carlson and family. Mrs. A. J. Neilson is now spending a few days with her son-in-law and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. J. Carlson.

Miss Carol Smith was a patient in the Vulcan hospital undergoing treatment to an injury she sustained Christmas eve when the family car in which she was riding swerved into a ditch.

Mr. and Mrs P. Fath and family spent the Christmas weekend with relatives in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Constable of Calgary were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. Fath last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Middleton spent Christmas with Mrs. Midleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lee of Nanton.

Mrs. Annie Clements recently spent a few days in Calgary visiting with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs J. Hagerman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Middleton were Christmas guests of Mrs. Middleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C Raaschou at Pearce.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Raaschou of Fort St. John B. C. were recent guests of Mr. Raaschou's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. Middleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Radtke and daughter of Calgary spent Christmas with the Mueller family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Mueller over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. E. Bowie and Mr. and Mrs. H. Fox all of Vulcan.

MILO

Christmas is past and Santa has his reindeer out to pasture for another year. The year 1953 quietly slipped away and 1954 came in with a roaring welcome by all. New Year's resolutions have all been made and of course we are all going to keep them. May the year 1954 be a very happy one to all of you.

The School Christmas concert was a great success this year. The performances put on by the junior grades were very well presented. There were some 500 people to view the performance and that does not include the children going to school. On behalf of the entire community I would like to thank the staff and all those who assisted in putting this concert on because we certainly enjoy them year after year.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haggins spent Christmas holidays with their son and family in Calgary.

Visitors for Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Smith and family from Portland, Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kirby and the girls spent Christmas with the latter's parents at Kerrobert, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ivers held open house to some 60 guests New Year's Eve prior to the New Year dance.

New Years guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Con Peterson were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bunce from Nanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Housely from Lethbridge were New Year visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ivers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Carson and family spent Christmas week visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Robson in Vulcan.

Spending New Year weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phillips is Mrs. D. M. Phillips from Calgary.

Christmas visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. Clements were Dorothy Clements from Calgary and Walter Clements and his family from Leduc. This is the first Christmas Walter has spent at home since he left to go on his own and that is quite a few years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Winch and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Winch of Calgary spent Christmas with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Jorginson were visitors of their son Ken Jorginson and family at Turner Valley on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Black and girls were holiday visitors at Lacombe, visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Saunders.

The community extends its deepest sympathy to the W. Shkuratoff family on the loss of their grandson Christmas week at Oliver, B. C. The boy was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Horkoff (nee Polly Shkuratoff) and died after an attack of polio.

Ronald Jackson has been a guest of his sister Mrs. Lawrence Monner and family.

The local teen agers enjoyed themselves at a New Year party, prior to the dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman McCord, guests of Marilyn, Bobby and Teddy McCord.

The New Year's dance was a howling success. The hall was crowded with everyoody enjoying themselves and young and old really welcomed the New Year in.

Thursday, Jan. 14, Milo HSA will meet at the school at 8 p.m. That evening we will be honored in having a lecturer from the Junior Red Cross crippled hospital in Calgary with us. There will be a film showing slides of the hospital and the work that is being carried on there. A hearty welcome is extended to all in the district to attend this lecture. Some of the FWUA delegates had the occasion to hear this gentleman and see the film and they say it was very interesting and if you can you should make an effort to be present.

C. L. Beckner accompanied by Jack Sutherland left Sunday for Toronto where they will attend the Golden Jubilee Dealers' Conference of the Ford Company of Canada. Tooke tells me their program includes a trip through the plant which is something all of us would love to see.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Will for Christmas was Mrs. Will Sr. from Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gerding and Barbara spent Christmas with the Hunter family at Ensign.

Karen Quigley from Edmonton is a holiday guest of her grandmother, Mrs. A. Armstrong.

United Church Of Canada
—VULCAN—
Sunday, Jan. 10th, 1954

MORNING SERVICE 11 A.M.—
Spiritually Discouraged? What to do about it

EVENING SERVICE, 7:30 P.M.—
An Hour of Song

Board of Session Meeting after Morning Service

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Thurs., Jan. 14, 1954

Sale Starts at 11 a.m. Sharp

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Champion

Among the social events in Champion during the holidays was a Social evening held in the dining room of the Community Hall, Tuesday, December 29, under the auspices of the Canadian Legion, BESL No. 262. The members of the Legion and their ladies were entertained. Les Christensen was master of ceremonies for the evening. R. (Barney) Barnes presented the Standard to the Legion and it was accepted by C. J. Versluys, President. Flash pictures were taken during the evening of the presentation of the Standard, the Branch's first executive, the members of World War 1, and the two ladies who are ex-servicewomen of World War 11. The balance of the evening was spent in dancing and Community Singing.

Among those who spent holidays in town at their homes were. Irene Bonetti, Dick Jopling, David Dawson, Eddie Barry and Kent Mahoney, of Edmonton, Gloria Fraser, Marj. Lebsack, Lita Bergemeister and Evelyn Hartung, of Calgary, and Bill Jopling of Kingston, Ontario.

Mr. H. C. Jopling and sons, Bill, Dick and Gary, spent New Year's Eve visiting with relatives in Milk River.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Lawson and Roger spent Christmas in Lethbridge with Mrs. Virgie Kirkland.

Mrs. Margaret Sanderson is visiting in Ponoka at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ruggles.

Mrs. Jack Daniels was taken suddenly ill on Thursday afternoon and was taken to the Carmangay hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Greenlee spent the Christmas holiday in Wetaskiwin at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mellett Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Clifford and small son returned to their home in Wetaskiwin on Sunday. They were accompanied as far as Calgary by Miss Gloria Fraser and to Wetaskiwin by Eddie Barry.

Bruce Stewart, who has been working in the Edmonton district for the past several months, spent the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stewart.

Mrs. Clarence Rhodes spent several days visiting in Calgary this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stewart Jr. and family of Calgary spent several days of Christmas week visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Fred Cartwright entertained a group of ladies on Saturday, Jan. 2 complimenting Mrs. Dale Barnes on the occasion of her birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Miller had as their guests, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart and their small son, Gary of Lethbridge, and their daughter, Miss Margaret Miller of Edmonton

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Fath of High River were holiday visitors in the district.

The teachers of the Champion teaching staff have returned to their duties after spending the holidays at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Mellett and son Bobby spent the New Year's holiday at the home of Mrs. Mellett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Greenlee.

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Mrs. Lackey of Calgary spent several days during the holiday season with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. C. Lackey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Barry had as their guests during the holidays, their nephews, Bob and Ronald Eyre, of Owendale, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mark and son Donald of Calgary were visitors for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jopling.

Mrs. Norman Miller and small son, Eddie has returned to town after spending Christmas in Edmonton with Mr. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville McLean, Lorne and Mary, spent Christmas in Calgary.

Alva Baker is visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Brown in Ann Harbor, Michigan.

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Amity Club

The Christmas meeting of the Amity Club was held at the home of Mrs. Jim Ellis with a very good attendance.

The business session was presided over by Mrs. Bess Siler. It was decided to give $5 each to the Crippled Children's hospital and the Incurables (Calgary), and the Library (Champion).

Amity Anna Christmas gifts were exchanged at the close of the afternoon.

Letter to Champion Correspondent

Dear Sir:

I am a W.W. 1 American Legion member. I found your place on a Canada Road Guide and I thought that I would write to you. I would like to hear from a W.W. 1 Veteran from there. Send me a copy of your newspaper.

We have a good live town, population 850, on Lincoln Hy. No. 30, to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, home of Quaker Oats Company, Hog Capital of U.S.A. We have a large stock sales barn, sales there twice a week. Our Legion Post is building a new $65,000 Legion Building on our main corner, and lots of people donated the money and lot.

Edith B. Helme, of our Legion Post is a disabled W.W. 1 ;Overseas Nurse, and can't walk. She likes to get letters from others. Leon Ralston W.W. 2, likes to hear from W.W. 2 veterans. Everett Ferguson. W.W. 1 likes to hear from W.W. 1 veterans. Rev. Melcher, Methodist Church, Lisbon, Ia. likes to hear from ministers.

Please publish this letter. I thank you very much.

Yours truly,
Louis Nickles,
Mechanicsville, Iowa, U.S.A.

District News

From Our Correspondents

ARMADA

Joe Urdal motored to Shelby, Montana the Saturday before Christmas where he met his brother, Lloyd and family of Chicago Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Urdal are spending the Christmas season holidays at the Urdal farm.

Mrs. J. Urdal Sr. of Calgary arrived at the Urdal home for Christmas where she will enjoy a family reunion.

The students and teachers of the Armada School sponsored a Christmas concert at the local hall on Tuesday, Dec. 22. A very good crowd turned out to enjoy the performance.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and daughters motored to Calgary last Wednesday evening to spend the Xmas holidays with the former's parents and sister. On their return home they visited Walter's aunt in Cayley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lund and Helena spent Christmas at Queenstown.

Mrs. T. Marks was a Christmas guest at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. Vaile of Calgary. She also visited her other daughter, Mrs. A. Beaumont while in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Marks and family motored to Calgary where they spent Christmas Day with their daughter, Doreen.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Marks and family were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Anderson of Milo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sealock are the proud owners of a new car.

S. Chambers was the lucky winner of the 12-pound fruit cake raffled at the Christmas concert.

Johnny Marks was a recent victim of the mumps.

We are sorry to hear Mrs. Raymond Beagle is confined to the Vulcan hospital. Best wishes for a speedy recovery, Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald and baby left last Wednesday for points in Manitoba where they will visit the latter's parents and other relatives during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Oakes of Calgary were holiday guests at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. Oakes.

Larry Pollum is spending the holidays at his home in Killam.

Christmas visitors at the Urdal home included Mr. and Mrs. L. Urdal and family of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. D. Buchanan and Brenda of Taber, Mrs. J. Urdal Sr., Mr. and Mrs. C. Rogers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Urdal and Darcy, all of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. D. Anderson and family, Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Howell and Darrel and Mr. and Mrs. I. Kunkel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Vanatta of Milo were Christmas guests at the Stokes home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Stokes and family spent the holiday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Craine of Calgary.

Jeanette Kunkel and Elaine Grant of Vulcan spent the long weekend at their homes in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Chambers and Helen Anne of Didsbury are visiting with relatives in the district.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stokes on Friday included C. Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. S. Marks and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. Chambers and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. P. Stokes and family, Lomond

Friday guests at the Oakes' home were Mr. and Mrs. Oakes, Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. M. Hanna and Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson and son of Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Howell and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. Page and Ruby, all of Milo were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Brotherwood.

Several girls of the Brethren United Church of Arrowwood under the leadership of Rev. McDaniels, presented a play "Goodwill to Women" in the hall last Sunday.

There will be a dance in the Armada Memorial Centre on Friday, Jan. 15. Frasers Orchestra will supply the music.

Mrs. L. Biskenes of Calgary accompanied C. Stokes who had spent several days in the city, to Armada a few days before Christmas. She was joined by her husband Christmas Eve, being holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Birkenes.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Pierson and family of Travers were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Brotherwood.

Gordon Boyd was able to be home for the Christmas festivities returning to Calgary again on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sealock spent the week visiting friends and relatives in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith and daughters were visitors to Medicine Hat.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Boyd visited their son, Gordon in Calgary on Tuesday.

Miss Jeanette Kunkel spent the long New Years weekend at her home in the district. Miss Elaine Grant was also home.

KIRKCALDY

Guests at the Spencer Lewis home over the Christmas holiday were Arthur Ware of Vancouver, B. C., Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bernard and Mary of Conrich, Alta., Miss Hazel Rowe, Robert Ware, Mr. Russel of Calgary and Miss Ethel Lewis of Ardenode, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Main and Wendy spent Christmas with relatives at Carstairs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Brinton and family were guests for several days with relatives in Calgary for Christmas weekend.

Miss Grace Cutforth of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. Shearer and family of Turin were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cutler.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kuykendall and Grace were visiting at the home of Mrs. Kuykendall's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Maisey during the holiday.

Friends of Carol and Judy Haga are sorry to hear they were confined to their home with the mumps over the holiday.

Miss Jean MacKay of Regina, Sask. spent Christmas weekend at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Scobie and family motored to Cayley for the Christmas holiday. Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Scobie of Cayley, Wayne Scobie of Calgary were New Year's guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morley Scobie.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones and Lorna spent Christmas with Mrs. Jones' family at Carstairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Munro and Sharon motored to Warner on New Years' Day for the holiday with Mrs. Munro's parents.

Friends of Mrs. Ray Beckner are sorry to hear that she was a patient in the Vulcan hospital over the Christmas season.

A. J. Maisey spent Christmas with relatives in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Urquhart and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Newsome at Dalemead on Boxing Day.

Kirkcaldy Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. William Munro in Vulcan on Wednesday, Jan. 13. Guest speaker will be Mr. Hansell.

Christmas Day guests at the Mallory and Carnegie homes were Ivan Swanson of Herronton, Pete Plytka and Steve.

GENERAL MEETING
Vulcan Branch, Canadian Red Cross Society

CANADIAN LEGION HALL

Wednesday, Jan. 13th

at 3:00 p.m.

Your Attendance is Requested

Notice of Preparation of Assessment Roll 1954
COUNTY OF VULCAN No. 2

Notice is hereby given that the assessment of the previous year has been adopted under the provisions of the Assessment Act, and that the assessment roll of the said County has been duly prepared, and that if any person thinks that any property has been wrongfully assessed, or assessed to high, or too low, or that his name or the name of any other person has been wrongfully entered upon or omitted from the roll, he may at any time prior to the 31st day of January notify the secretary-treasurer of the County of Vulcan No. 2 at Vulcan in writing of the particulars and grounds of his complaint.

Dated at Vulcan, Alta. thi 1st day of January, 1954

D. D. McQueen,
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Effective January 1st, 1954, the charge to Ratepayers and Contract holders for treatment as bed patients in Bassano Municipal Hospital will be a flat rate of $1.50 per day. That charge will cover ward care and nursing and all extra services.

Hospitalization contracts will be on sale to residents of that part of the County of Vulcan contained in Bassano Municipal Hospital District during the whole month of January for $10.00 per year or $5.00 per half-year. Benefits commence immediately on sale.

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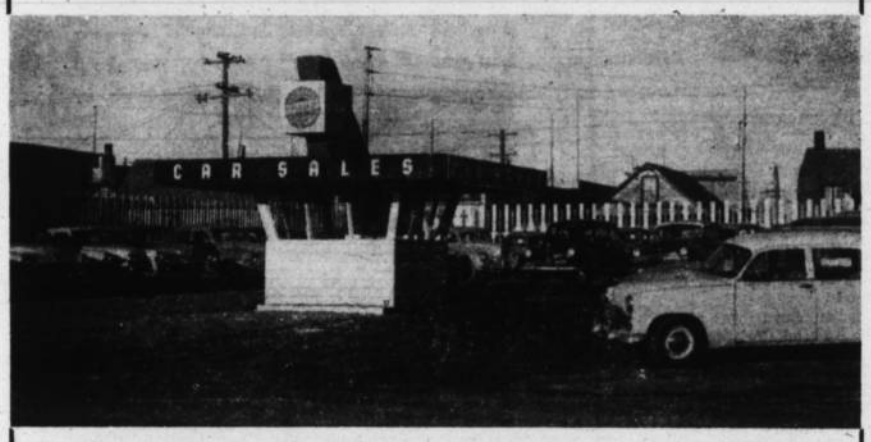

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District News

BRANT

The School concert held in the Brant community hall was well attended and enjoyed by all: congratulations to the teachers and parents who did the costuming and the students who participated. The Red Cross draw for the doll was made by Margo Fletcher and won by baby Gordie Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Baskin and family motored to Calgary to spend Xmas with the former's mother and father.

Miss Sheila Anderson from Vancouver is spending her Xmas holidays visiting her sister and family Mrs. J. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ferguson and family are motoring to Kathryn to spend Xmas with the former's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Jensen and son Bill motored to Fort McLeod to spend Xmas with their daughter and family, Mrs. L. Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Watson and baby daughter motored to Fort McLeod to spend Xmas day with Mrs. Watson's sister, Mrs. L. Bradley.

We are pleased to hear that Pop Murphy who was a patient in the High River hospital is home again to spend Xmas with his daughter and family, Mrs. D. Schultz.

Miss Shirley Sellars from Galt hospital in Lethbridge is home to spend Xmas holidays with her parents.

Wm. Davies left Wednesday evening for Edmonton to spend his Xmas holiday with friends.

Mrs. Wilson left Wednesday morning to spend Xmas in Calgary

Miss Arlene Parker is home from Mount Royal College in Calgary to spend her Xmas holiday with her parents.

Misses Arlene Ball and Wilma Burley from Composite High in Red Deer are home for their Xmas holidays.

Miss Elizabeth Druhard is home from High River to spend Xmas day with her parents.

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A school curling team from Brant played in the Lethbridge High School bonspiel this week. They came home winning second in the fourth event. The boys that went were Kenney Hamilton, Fred Burley, Gordie Prusky and Gordie Kennedy from Ensign.

Red Cross will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed Auld on Jan. 13.

Square dance in Brant Hall Jan. 8th at 8 p.m. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hamilton spent a few days visiting in Lethbridge.

Miss Alberta Prusky from Red Deer was visiting her mother, Mrs. Prusky.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Richmond and baby son from Edmonton were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sellars for a few days.

Mrs. P. Palmer and children, Peter and Paddy from Okotoks were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Rhodes and Doreen for the week end.

The New Years' dance held in Brant hall New Years' Eve was well attended, everyone having a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Thompson and family spent New Year visiting the former's mother and father, and Mrs. Thompson's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich of Black Diamond.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Anderson and family from Turner Valley spent the New Year and weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Baskin and family spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Baskin's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. D. McKee of Claresholm.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dougherty and Gail from Didsbury spent a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. McKay and Jimmy.

Mr. and Mrs. Sellars and Bob spent New Years' visiting their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shrumm and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Brant Parker were Calgary visitors on Monday.

MAJORVILLE

It's a foregone conclusion that by this time the Xmas spirit is gone but it's to be hoped some of the spirit of Christmas remains until Christmas comes again.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Bertrand had a pre-Christmas get together with members of their family before leaving for California. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rhodes, son-in-law and daughter of Vulcan were home for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bertschy were recent visitors at the home of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson of High River.

Had you wanted to visit with some of your neighbors last Saturday it would have been necessary to go to Vulcan. Practically everyone with little folks was in Vulcan for the annual Christmas show. It takes the wee one to find out where Santa will be next.

Mrs. S. Henry, Mrs. H. Fuller and Mrs. Lewis Greaves, daughters and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. G. Greaves, jointly cooked a Christmas dinner with all the trimmings and with their husbands travelled to Calgary last Sunday for a pre-Christmas dinner with the old folks.

It was reported last week that Gordon Boyd would be released from hospital at Christmas, under the impression that he was completely recovered from polio. It now transpires he was was only released for a few days to enable him to have Christmas at home. He returned to hospital on Sunday for further treatments.

Mrs Wellman didn't spend a very happy Christmas. She fell victim to the mumps a day or two before the holiday. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Strang Fraser and family and Bill Fraser of Cluny spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Clemmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Nelson of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Armstrong of Federal were guests at Fred Bertschy's on Christmas.

Spending Christmas day with Miles Clemmons were Mr. and Mrs. Art Kisinger and family of Lacombe, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Francis Billie and Lee and Mrs. Hattie Clemmons and Ray, Skipper and Ronnie of Queenstown.

Mrs Mabel Hagg was lucky enough to have her entry drawn on the CFCN Lake of the Woods Milling Co. Ltd. contest and received a nice set of baking utensils as a prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lecuyer who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Heather accompanied them to Enchant to spend Christmas with the latter's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Jacobson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Clemmons accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Art Kisinger went to Cluny last Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. Cobiell.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Roy Hostettler, son of Mrs. Alf Heather and Betty Armstrong who have recently become engaged.

Dancing at Liberty is proving to be quite popular and the pre-Xmas dance was as usual well attended and very much enjoyed by all there.

Exchanging gifts has become an established part of our Yuletide season, but when members of the family marry and there are grand children to be shared with other branches of their family it becomes a problem how to be together for Christmas. Pre-Christmas get togethers seem to be the answer and quite a number of these enjoyable evenings were enjoyed hereabouts during the week before Christmas.

Mrs. Hagg and Alex were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Francis.

The lovely spring like weather over the holiday weekend was much appreciated by those who travelled long distances to be with family and friends for Xmas but those who had to wait for New Year weren't so fortunate as a heavy fall of snow made things a bit unpleasant and many who would otherwise have started out to visit for the day, changed their minds and stayed home.

Word was received during the week of the marriage in Victoria, B.C. of a former school teacher of East Majorville, Miss Edna Fredaway and John Yellowlees. The couple have taken up residence on a ranch 10 miles west of Acme.

Mrs. G. Heather had her sister Mrs. H. Orsten of Camrose visit with her for a few days this week.

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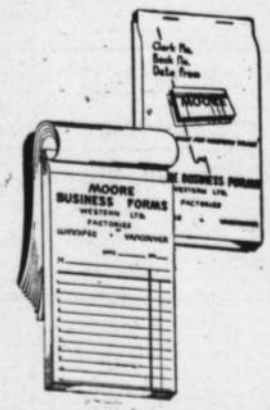

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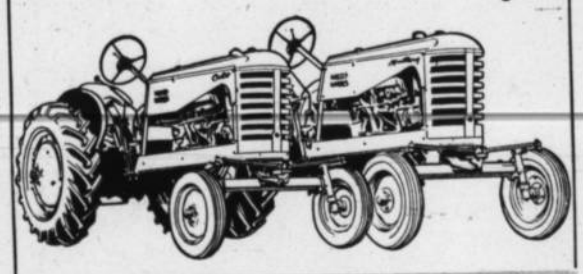

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(December 24)

Mr. and Mrs. Lornie Barkley accompanied by Mrs. Barkley's parents, all of Hudson Hope, B.C., and Mr. and Mrs. Manchuk of Claresholm spent Sunday, Dec. 13 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hubka. Mr. and Mrs. Barkley farm land in Hudson Hope, which is about 1000 miles north of here. The same kind of wheat is used there as in southern Alberta and seeding usually commences about the 20th of May. Harvest operations start the latter part of August. In the months of June, July and August there is very little darkness and tractors are run all night without lights.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McLeod of Lomond were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melville McLeod on Thursday and Friday.

Mat Leonard of Gleichen has arrived to spend the Xmas holiday with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John McFarland.

Miss Peggy Gray of Calgary arrived Saturday to spend the Xmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs W. Gray.

Irl Miller of Edmonton is spending the Xmas holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Row of Lethbridge were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Stafford.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Moore of Poultney were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Moore will spend Xmas in Rochester with their daughter, Sandra, who is still in hospital there. They expect to be home soon after the New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Syd Thompson left this week for Trail, B.C. where they will spend Xmas with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bentley.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Church and Mr. and Mrs Ben Brown arrived home Saturday from Montana where they spent several days at the Salt Mines there.

There will be a special Xmas service in the Anglican church on Frilay, Dec. 25 at 11 a.m.

Patients in the local hospital this week are Wm. Aalto and Mrs. Leila Witzer, Mrs. Louise Ohlheiser of Champion and Helver Eliasen of Barons.

The first real snowfall of the season arrived here over the week end. About five inches of snow fell on Saturday and Sunday. Looks like we'll have a white Xmas afterall.

West Women's Country Club

The West Women's Club held their meeting in the Burwash school on Wednesday, Dec. 16 with all but one member present. Mrs. Florence McLeod and Mrs. Mabel Clark were in charge of the program. The school was cleaned and the Xmas tree decorated in preparation for the concert on Friday night.

A tasty lunch was served by the hostesses. Mrs. Mabel Clark and Mrs. Vivian McFarland.

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Burwash Xmas Concert

A capacity crowd enjoyed the Xmas concert held in the Burwash school on Friday, Dec. 18. All residents of Burwash and Ryckman districts and grandparents of the children were present for the occasion. The children presented a variety of numbers which were enjoyed by everyone. The highlight of the evening was a visit from Santa who presented gifts and candy to all the children.

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Anglican Xmas Party

The Xmas party in the Anglican church was held on Friday, Dec. 11

Several items of entertainment were enjoyed and then all those present joined in carol singing. Rev. Reuss then presented all the children with Xmas treats.

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Install New Slate of Officers

A new slate of officers was installed at the regular meeting of the Heather Chapter, O.E.S., in the Masonic Hall.

Sister Alice Knight was installed as Worthy Matron and Bro. F. J. Whitmarsh as Worthy Patron with the retiring Matron Sister Marjory McFarland acting as installing officer.

Other officers are: A. M., Sr. Jean Kotkas; A.P., Bro. A. Cummins; Conductor, Sr. Florence White; A.C., Sr. Gladys McGinnis; Secretary, Sr. Hettie Teskey; Treasurer, Sr. Marjorie Roberts; Chaplain, Sr. Ella Burwash; Mar., Sr. Bradley; Organist, Sr. Hilda Lyckman; Ada, Sr. Gladys Ronney Ruth, Sr. Melvina Roemmele; Ester, Sr. Alice Shearer; Martha, Sr. Gladys Lawrie; Electa, Sr. Marion Miller; Warder, Sr. Cummins; Sentinel, Sr. Stella Atkins.

Following the meeting members enjoyed a Xmas party followed by a cold turkey supper.

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(January 7)

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McLeod of Lomond were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melville McLeod.

Mat Leonard of Gleichen is spending the Xmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McFarland.

Miss Peggy Gray of Calgary is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gray.

Irl Miller of Edmonton is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Syd Thompson are spending the Xmas holidays at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bentley in Trail, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Vilas Teskey left Dec. 23 to spend Xmas and New Year with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Teskey in Devon, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. C. DeMaria were Xmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno DeMaria of High River.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Moore and Sandra and Sheila and Mrs. Mina Greene arrived home from Rochester this week. Sandra is progressing favorably and we wish her the best of luck in the New Year.

Mrs. O. L. Taylor of Claresholm and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker and son of Nanton were Xmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Teskey and family of Penhold spent Xmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Teskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Olson and family of Winnipeg are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Robertson and Lori of Wayne were Xmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bright Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Underdahl of Many berries were Xmas guests at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Korth.

Miss Agnes Szekely of Calgary is spending the Xmas holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Szekely.

Carmangay Students Present Xmas Program

A very large crowd attended the Xmas program held in the school auditorium, Tuesday, Dec. 22. Students from all grades participated in the program and presented a good variety of entertainment. Santa arrived at the close of the program and distributed gifts and treats to all the children.

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United Church Sunday School Xmas Concert

The Sunday School classes of the United Church held their annual Xmas program on Wednesday, Dec. 23. The church was filled to capacity and the short program presented by the kiddies was very enjoyable. Santa arrived and spent some time listening to requests of all the children. The evening was brought to a close with a tasty lunch served by the members of the W.A.

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Mrs. A. Roemmele had the misfortune to fracture her leg when she fell at her home on Xmas eve. She is a patient in the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lee and Brian spent the Xmas holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rowst in Crossfield.

Mrs. E. Z Church of Lethbridge is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Church.

Miss Betty Schaffer of Vancouver, B.C. is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Schaffer.

Syd Collier Jr. of Calgary is visiting with his father Syd Collier Sr.

Percy Fowler of Strathmore is a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. L. Schoonover.

William Aalto passed away in the local hospital on Monday, Dec. 28. Funeral services, conducted by Rev. V. Eichenlaub, were held in Martin Bros. Chapel on Thursday, Dec. 31. Interment was in Mountain View Cemetery with Martin Bros. in charge.

The New Year dance, sponsored by the local Curling Club, was very well attended again this year. The set of curling rocks, raffled by the club, were won by Fay Smith. A draw for $5 was made on each card of tickets sold. Lucky winners were Lars Ueland, Walter Neilson, James Lee, John Fernsted, John Parakin, Burtla Burke.

Harold Gower of Spokane, Wash was a New Years guest at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. Gower

Miss Rosemarie MacMillan of Edmonton is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. MacMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stettner and family of Benalto and Charlie Stettner of Calgary were Xmas visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stettner.

Three local rinks entered the High School bonspiel held in Lethbridge last week. They didn't bring back any prizes but all had a good time. Personnel of the rinks were B. Lee, G. Schaffer, D. Bond and B. Brown; B. White, D. Brownell, D. Brown and Boris; the girl's rink: Marj Moorse, Joan White, Elaine Row and Shirley Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville McLeod and family were Xmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLeod in Lomond.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Burwash and Eva spent Xmas at the Carlson home in Stavely.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill White, Mr. and Mrs. Glen McFarland and Mrs. J. Gower spent Xmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McGinnis.

Mrs. B. Hubka of Claresholm, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bach and Billy and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hubka and family spent Xmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Hubka.

Raymond Lowing of Calgary spent the holidays visiting with Billy Bach.

Mr and Mrs. L. J. Bach and Billy and Raymond Lowing of Calgary were New Years guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hubka.

Mrs. B. Hubka of Claresholm and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hubka and family were guests last Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cutforth of Barons.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bach and John Mullen all of Calgary visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bach for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Knight and family and Mrs. E. V. Knight spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. K. Bloxham in Champion.

Mrs. Bailey Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Fort Skretting, Mrs. Blake and Gordon all of Vauxhall; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bailey of Turin and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nowlin of Claresholm were New Year guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Hubka.

Mat Leonard of Gleichen and Mrs. L. McFarland and Barbara spent Xmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McFarland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hubka and family were Xmas guests at the home of Mrs. Eva Sherman in Granum.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Clark and Sharon motored to Calgary on Saturday to attend the Calgary-Saskatoon hockey game. While they were in the city they visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Cairns.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Roemmele and family were Xmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Copeland of Claresholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Craig and Jimmy spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crowe in Medicine Hat.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Brownell, Mr. and Mrs. Jervis Brownell and Mr. and Mrs. Len Brandvold were New Year guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melville McLeod.

Several of the men who have been taking flying lessons are now proudly displaying their private licences.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Korth on the birth of a son. Monday, Jan. 4.

Miss Roemarie MacMillan of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Con Legger of Saskatoon and F. Russell and G. Russell of Milk River were Xmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. MacMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. MacMillan spent New Years in Calgary.

Cyd Collier and Syd Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Len Milliken and family were Xmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones of Lethbridge.

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East Hospital Auxiliary

The December meeting of the East Hospital Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Vivian Milliken with 12 members present.

Mrs. Jay Laczo gave a financial report on the Curio display and supper which netted $82.40. A new executive was elected for the coming year with officers as follows: President, Mrs. A. MacMillan; Vice-president, Mrs. Gertrude Fraser; Secretary, Mrs. Frances Burns; Treasurer, Mrs. Thompson; buying committee, Mrs. E. Laczo and Mrs. Gertrude Fraser.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Frances Burns.

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C.G.I.T. Meeting

Five members of the C.G.I.T. group met in the United Church, Monday, Jan. 4. The meeting was opened in the usual manner after which a general business discussion was held. The girls were then divided into groups and held a worship period, singing and recreation. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in group singing.

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Brief Items of Local Interest

Visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Clark over the holidays were Mr. ann Mrs. Russell Carruthers, Mrs. Alice Clark and Allan all of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith visited at Calgary on Wednesday last.

Max Morgan of Calgary spent Boxing Day at the Louie Hammer home and renewed many acquaintances here.

Miss Delight Mannen of Calgary accompanied by her aunt, Miss Vera Staples spent Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Mannen.

Mr. and Mrs. Mannen motored to Calgary on Sunday, Dec. 27 to spend New Years with relatives, Mrs. Mannen remaining for an extra week.

Mrs. M. Haverty left recently for Los Angeles, Cal. by 'plane to visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. Barrett.

Wendell Wolfe of Edmonton who spent the holidays here. motored to Calgary for his father, who has been ill in a Calgary hospital.

Members of the Reid Hill W.I. are reminded that the January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jack Marshall, Thursday, January 14.

Mrs. Opal Drummond of Calgary spent Christmas holidays at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bornell Drummond.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec. Woodward and baby daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gilroy of Calgary spent Boxing Day at the Merv McIntyre home.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Clarke and family of Castor were holiday visitors at the Alex Lancaster home. Christmas Day guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. R. Graves and daughter.

A farewell party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Mike Miller was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hanna on the evening of Boxing Day, when some 50 friends enjoyed a social evening and presented the departing couple with a matched set of luggage. Mr. and Mrs. Miller have since left to make their home in Calgary.

Bob Hay of High River spent Christmas and New Years at the homes of his two daughters, Mrs. Bill Campbell and Mrs. C. Jordon.

Holiday guests at the M. A. Jesse home were Mr. and Mrs. Witting and Mr. and Mrs. Storfre and family, all of Lethbridge, and Jean Setter of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parker and family spent the holidays at Red Deer. On the way to their destination they had the misfortune to be involved in an automobile accident, but fortunately were all uninjured.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Matlock spent Christmas at the Don Stuart home in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted O'Grady of Calgary were Christmas visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Atkinson.

Kenny and Dick Jesse spent Christmas week with relatives in Lethbridge While in the city Kenny took ill and was hospitalized for a few days.

Holiday guests at the William Peters' home were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Peters and son, Billy of Edmonton. Christmas Day visitors also included Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peters and family and Mr. and Mrs. B. Banks and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Scotney and sons spent a few days during Christmas week in Calgary.

Dale French has left for Calgary where he will attend a six-week electrician's school.

Earl Ericksen and two sons were recent Calgary visitors visiting Mrs. Ericksen who has been in a Calgary hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson were Christmas Day guests at the Fred Nolte home.

Miss Madeline Nolte, who is attending school in Calgary, spent the holidays with her parents.

Miss Beth Saxby has left to attend school at Medicine Hat for the remainder of the school term.

Mrs. H. LaRoche and son, Jerry were Calgary visitors last Wednesday.

Miss Queenie Marshall spent the holidays with relatives at Innisfail.

Friends of Mrs. Dave McAfee will be sorry to learn that she had the misfortune to burn herself painfully Christmas morning, when she accidentally upset a pot of scalding hot coffee on herself. She is still confined to the local hospital.

C. W. Loose was a recent Lethbridge business visitor.

Friends will be sorry to learn that Mrs. John Grant is a patient in the Vulcan hospital.

George Hutton was a business visitor to Calgary last week.

Merle Rivette spent the holidays with his wife and small daughter at the John French home in the district.

Holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spaeth were A. Cotton and son Jim. and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Spaeth all of Calgary.

Bobby and Gary Stuart of Calgary were holiday visitors at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Matlock. New Year guests at the Matlock home also included Mr. and Mrs. Stuart of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. Harris Matlock and Jean Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff McAskile and family were Calgary visitors during the holiday week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pearce of Kathryn spent Wednesday last as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. John Andrews accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Merle Smith motored to Calgary Saturday to attend the hockey match there.

Allan and Ralph Walker of Edmonton spent the holidays at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Walker.

E. G. Hansell was a business visitor to Pincher Creek the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kuykendall and daughter of Grand Prairie have been guests at the Bert Maisey home at Kirkcaldy and also visited at the Dan Ross home in Vulcan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chapman were recent Nanton visitors, from where Mr. Chapman left for Edmonton where he spent a few days.

Lyle Johnson spent Christmas with his parents in Calgary.

Miss Terrie McAfee has returned home after spending the holidays with relatives and friends at High River.

Holiday guests at the C. Zahnd home were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Southworth and family and Bob Southworth all of Calgary.

The regular meeting of the St. Aldhelm's Ladies Guild will be held at the home of Mrs. Jack Moffit on Monday, Jan. 11 at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bond and family of Hanna were Christmas and New Years guests at the C. Fleming home.

Friends will be sorry to learn that Mrs. E. J. Loxton is at present a patient in the local hospital.

Miss Evelyn Breen was a recent hospital patient.

Mrs. M. M. Arnold was the lucky winner of the automatic electric coffee percolator which was drawn for at Simon's Food Market the day before Christmas.

The United Church is planning "work bees" for the completion of the interior work on the church building and the congregation is planning further expansion. The annual meeting will be held on Monday, Jan. 25 and will take the form of a supper meeting, when reports of the various phases of church work will be presented.

A book "Ireland Beautiful" was left in Fleming's Grocetria during the holiday season and the owner may claim it at the store.

Mrs. P. Wiersma and son Simon spent Christmas at the homes of Mrs. Wiersma's daughters, Mrs. Grimsrud and Mrs. Anderson, at Ralston. Mr. Anderson, who is in the Navy, is leaving for Esquimalt for further training and during his absence Mrs. Anderson will make her home with her sister, Mrs. Grimsrud.

Miss Jean Jantzie telephoned Christmas greetings from Bermuda to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Jantzie at Vulcan. The message was very clear, considering the great distance.

Kenneth Reeves recently left for Hardisty to spend Christmas and part of the winter with his parents there.

George Dingwall spent the Christmas weekend with friends in Lethbridge.

K. Roy McLean, Optometrist, will be in Vulcan at the King Drug Store on Monday, Jan. 18, from 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Consult Mr. McLean at his Calgary office, 1014, Greyhound Bldg., **daily except Monday.**

Mr. and Mrs. George Hargrave and children of Calgary spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Price and family in Vulcan.

Mr. and Mrs R. E. Pedersen and children of Calgary mere holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs E. G. McPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Purdy and family of Calgary were holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Krause.

In the report of the Home and School meeting given in the last issue it was stated that Christmas carols were sung by the pupils of Grades 4 and 5. This should have read "by the pupils of Grades 5 and 6."

Members of the Vulcan Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society and all others interested in the work of this organization are reminded that the annual meeting of the branch will be held in the Legion hall, Vulcan, on Wednesday, Jan. 13, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. You are urged to attend.

Visitors at the Dingwall home for the Christmas season were Miss Grace Dingwall of Calgary and Gordon Caton of Red Deer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiersma and son Simon moved into their new home on main street just before Christmas.

Norm Pettie is in Toronto this week attending a convention of Meteor-Mercury dealers.

Ted Howlett of Ensign was the winner of the Elks' suit draw.

New Year's guests at the Roy Clarkson home were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McKay, and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold McKay and Gladys, all of Calgary.

F/O and Mrs. Lawrence Ottewell and children from Greenwood N.S., and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ottewell and children of Calgary spent the New Year's weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ottewell.

Word has been received here of the accidental death of Mrs. Pat Doyle of Haney, B. C. the latter part of the week. Mrs. Doyle will be remembered by oldtimers of Vulcan and district as Mrs. Laura Wilhart. She is survived by two sons, Henry Wilhart and Vincent Doyle. She was a sister of Mrs. Gene Fortier and the late Mrs. Herman Spanke, all former Vulcan residents. No details of the fatal accident are available.

Holiday visitors at the Roy McLennan home were D. Sterling, Claresholm, E. Thompson, Penhold and D. Snowden, Fort Macleod.

Jerry Walker of Tacoma, Wash. accompanied by his eldest son has been a business visitor to the district for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Willard left recently for a vacation in Florida.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Marcellus will regret to learn they were involved in a car accident during the holidays, while enroute from Edmonton to Calgary, necessitating Mrs. Marcellus spending a few days in hospital.

Holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs C. A. Northcott were Mr. and Mrs. Garnet O'Neil, Crossfield; Mr. and Mrs. D. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Peterson, High River; Mrs. E. Peterson, Seattle, Wash.; T. McRae, Calgary; Mrs. L. Monner and R. Jackson, Milo; and R. Miller, Moose Jaw, Sask.

A. Ferngren is at present visiting at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. O'Neil at Crossfield and plans on leaving the latter part of this week for a vacation at Honolulu, Hawaii.

Charlie Spanke has returned to his home in Calgary after spending the past month at the Leo Spanke farm.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Campbell and children of Barons spent Sunday at the Dale Campbell and Harry Smith homes.

Ralph Buehler of Red Deer spent the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Buehler.

Mrs. D. D. McQueen has returned home from a visit spent at Salmon Arm, B. C.

Miss Inez MacDonald of Edmonton was a holiday visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. MacDonald.

Frank Hoskyn of Calgary was a recent visitor at the Harold Hanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Seno Degenstein and Larry were New Year's visitors to Hanna.

Mrs. H St. Peter and son David of North Battleford, Sask. are at present visitors at the McAfee home.

Miss H. Cameron spent the holidays with relatives at Barons.

Miss Elinor Hyslip of Calgary spent the holidays with her mother and brother in the district.

Mrs. H. Matlock left Sunday for London, Ont., where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. Fred Stephens and family.

Anyone from the town or district interested in attending the annual meeting of the Lethbridge Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday, Jan. 20, at 6 p.m., is asked to contact Grant Walker, secretary of the Vulcan District Board of Trade, by Wednesday, Jan. 13, in order that tickets can be arranged for. Speaker at the meeting will be N. R. Crump, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Figures for total rainfall for Vulcan during 1953 were not available at the time of writing, but David B. Sims of the Berrywater district advises that, according to his official gauge, total precipitation in that area for the past year was 21.12 inches.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brett announce the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy Aileen, to Robert Kenneth Healy of Vulcan. The wedding took place in Calgary on Dec. 9.

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